

CLAIMS

1. A telephone, comprising:

a display portion;

5 a panel, which is provided on a display surface side of the display portion, and which changes from a transparent state to a mirror surface state when voltage is applied to the panel; and

a control unit, which brings the panel to the mirror surface state and turns off the power of the display portion when a key locked state is set.

10 2. The telephone as set forth in claim 1, further comprising a second control unit which brings the panel to the transparent state and turns on the power of the display portion when a call is received under the key locked state.

15 3. The telephone as set forth in claim 2, further comprising a third control unit which brings the panel to the mirror surface state and turns off the power of the display portion when a response to the received call is performed.

20 4. The telephone as set forth in claim 1, wherein the second control unit is provided for bringing the panel to the transparent state and turning on the power of the display portion when there is unrecognized call receiving history information or an unrecognized receiving mail under the key locked state.

25 5. The telephone as set forth in claim 4, wherein the third control unit is provided for bringing the panel to the mirror surface state and turning off the power of the display portion when a recognition of the unrecognized call

receiving history information or the unrecognized receiving mail is performed.